

***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

Applicant: Su Chen  
Title: OXYGEN-18 LABELED ORGANIC ACIDS AND USE  
IN DIAGNOSING METABOLIC DISORDERS  
Patent. No.: 7,993,931  
Issue Date: 8/9/2011  
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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION FOR  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed, is a Certificate of Correction, Form PTO-1050, for United States Patent Number 7,993,931 issued August 9, 2011. The following Patent Office printing errors appear in the issued patent:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

The exact column and line number where the errors in the issued patent are shown correctly in the application are:

Column 28, line 55, delete the word "Succinyacetone" and replace with  
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Column 31, line 51, delete the word "Succinylacetone" and replace with

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Column 36, line 65, delete the phrase "acid measured in" and replace with --acid in--.

Applicant submits that the above changes would not constitute new matter, and correction thereof would not require reexamination.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.322, Applicant requests that the enclosed Certificate of Correction be approved.

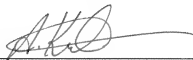
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Respectfully submitted,

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